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LETTER DATED 7 OCTOBER 1993 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF IRAQ TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

On instructions from my Government and with reference to my letter 441/6/1 dated 29 September 1993, I have the honour to inform you that the Iranian regime bombarded border areas in northern Iraq during the period from 19 to 27 September 1993 as follows:

1. On the night of 19 to 20 September 1993, the area of Duwaili north-west of Qal'at Dizah 12 kilometres inside Iraqi territory in the northern sector of the country was subjected to bombardment by the artillery of the Iranian regime.

2. On the night of 20/21 September 1993, the areas of Halshu, Darah Shamanah, Beglu and Hiro east of Qal'at Dizah 6 to 8 kilometres inside Iraqi territory in the northern sector of the country were subjected to bombardment by the Iranian regime.

3. On the night of 22/23 September 1993, the areas of Suna, Sarkhan and Zakzakah north-east of Qal'at Dizah 2 to 4 kilometres inside Iraqi territory in the northern sector of the country were subjected to bombardment by the Iranian regime.

4. On 25 September 1993, the areas of Qandul and Kunah Kanaw south-east of Qal'at Dizah 2 to 4 kilometres inside Iraqi territory in the northern sector of the country were subjected to bombardment by the Iranian regime.

5. On 27 September 1993, the areas of Bastah and Sarakhan north-east of Qal'at Dizah 2 to 4 kilometres inside Iraqi territory in the northern sector of the country were subjected to bombardment by the Iranian regime.

I should be grateful if you would have this letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Nizar HAMDOON
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Permanent Representative

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